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How to Secure a Vigorous Body And Mind.

Health of body and mind depend upon the health of the stomach. The brain, the blood, the nerves, the lungs in fact every organ of the body depend upon the stomach for sustenance. The stomach's power to digest and assimilate food measures the strength of body and mind. If you are below the normal in strength of body and mind, Rydals stomach tablets will help you out of your trouble. They insure perfect digestion and assimilation and these secure health of body and mind. Rydals stomach tablets cure the worst cases of dyspepsia and indigestion and all forms of stomach trouble. Trial size 25c. Family size 50c. The large size contains 2 1/2 times the quantity of the trial size.

If people had to sit on as uncomfortable seats as at a church as at the circus, how they would roar! This is one of the things that prove the influence of mind over matters.—Acheson's Ill. be.

Something That Every Body Knows. Every body knows that sick headache, biliousness, indigestion and constipation are caused by disordered liver. But every body doesn't know that laziness that tired feeling, despondency, the blues, irritability and sleeplessness are also due to the same cause. If your liver is acting well your skin will be clear, eyes bright, spirits buoyant, appetite good, health good. Rydals liver tablets will make your liver act right and they will do it in such a pleasant way that you will hardly realize that you are taking medicine. Rydals liver tablets are guaranteed to cure chronic constipation all liver disorders and disorders. Your money refunded if these tablets do not give satisfaction.

We don't think it is correct to speak of a ship as feminine, for you know a man is always in command of a ship.

Some Seasonable Advice.

It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before winter is over and much more prompt and satisfactory results are obtained when taken before the cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known and so altogether good that no one should hesitate about buying it or preferring to any other. For sale by Timmons Bros. and Crosson Drug Co.

It is said there are more stammerers in Russia than any other country. But what we want to know is, how can you tell whether a Russian is stammering or not when he goes to tell you his name?

A Stitch In Time.

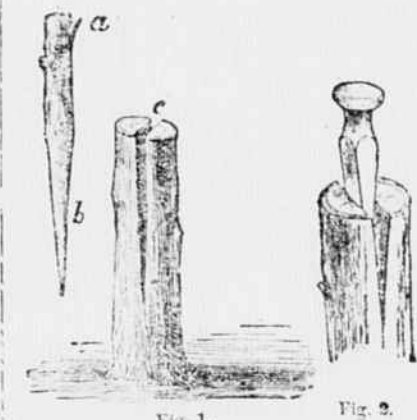
This old adage applies to disease as well as to dress. One dose of Rydals Elixir will arrest a cold or an attack of pneumonia or Lagrippe and prevent their development. Keep a bottle of Rydals Elixir in the house, so the "stitch" can be taken in time.

CLEFT GRAFTING

Complete Formula for making Grafting Wax.

Used in This Country More Than All Others Together.

There are several methods of grafting, some being much simpler than others, but all accomplish the same end. That which is known as "cleft grafting" is used in this country, at least, more than all others together. It is the easiest, but by no means the best. As the branches of the stock have first to be removed, a saw is needed. An ordinary pruning saw answers well; it is like an ordinary

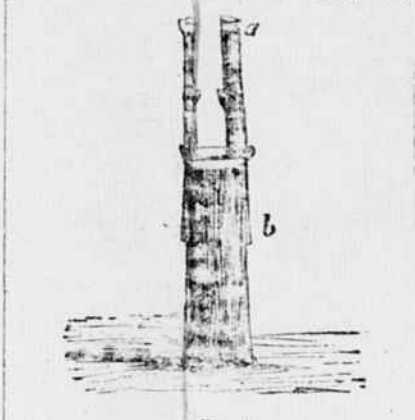


carpenter's saw; the teeth set wide to make the cut clear. The next thing is a good knife with a blade of moderate size, that can be made sharp and kept sharp. If the branches to be grafted are not over two inches in diameter, the cleft or split into which to set the clons may be made with a heavy pruning knife; if larger, the grafting knife sold at the seed stores should be used. To strike the knife, a mallet will be needed; a convenient one is a bit of hard wood about eighteen inches long, largest at one end; a cord is passed through a hole near the smaller end, and tied in a loop large enough to loop on the arm. A wedge of hard wood with which to open the cleft, completes the outfit, so far as tools are concerned. But in grafting we make a large wound, and unless this is covered, to prevent drying and exposure to rain, the operation will be likely to fail. The best material for covering is grafting wax, which should be prepared beforehand.

GRAFTING WAX.

Melt together in an iron vessel, common rosin, four parts; beeswax, two parts; and tallow, one part. Melt the tallow and wax together first, then add the rosin, broken into small lumps; keep over a moderate fire, stirring occasionally with a stick until all is completely melted. This is most conveniently used in the form of waxed cloth or paper. Cloth for this purpose is from a calico dress, or an old sheet, that has been washed and worn until it is very tender. Tear this into strips two inches wide, and of any convenient length. The strips are to be rolled upon a stick about six inches long, to serve as a handle, rolling it at one end of the stick, adding one piece after another, until the

rolls hang in a place where there is no dust. Some prefer waxed paper; good manila paper is covered on one side with the melted grafting wax, applied with a brush.



PRACTICING BEFORE WORKING. It will be a good plan, if you have never grafted, to get some branches of an old apple tree from an inch to two inches through, to answer as a "dummy" for the stock, and some twigs of the same to serve as clons, and practice grafting, until the work becomes familiar. Saw off the branch selected for the stock, selecting a place on which the bark is smooth; place your heavy knife across the end, and by striking with the back with the mallet make a cleft or split downwards, fig. 2. If the bark splits with ragged edges, cut through it with a knife where the split should be, as shown in figure 1. To prepare the graft or clon, select a piece of twig with three or four buds upon it, and cut the lower end to a wedge shape, having a bud at the top of the wedge, as in a figure 3. The clon being cut with a sharp knife the split in the

stock is to be opened by means of a wedge of iron, or of hard wood (fig. 2), and the clon set in place. The inner bark of the clon should meet that of the stock. This is secured by setting the clon a little out of the perpendicular, as in a figure 3. In large stocks, two clons are inserted. In these, figure 3, it will be seen—if inclined slightly towards one another at the top—the inner bark of graft and stock must touch at some point. After the clons are set, as in figure 3, the exposed or wounded parts of both stock and clon must be covered and protected from the weather. Tear off a piece of the waxed cloth, large enough to go around the top of the stock twice. Let its edge project far enough above the top of the stock to bend over and completely cover the wound. Cover the tops of the clons with small bits of the waxed cloth, not if there is any other cut surface, not if covered, apply the waxed cloth, and rub and press it in close contact to exclude the air. In working with the waxed cloth, the fingers should be greased with a lump of tallow kept for the purpose. When one layer of waxed cloth is applied over another, a little working with the warm fingers will cause the two to unite and form a complete protection. A basket of suitable size, with a hook to hang it upon a branch of the tree, will be found very convenient in which to place the various tools and the materials required in grafting.

A Don't Worry.

Jack—How do you like this weather?

Old Crusty—What difference does it make how I like it? It wouldn't be changed, no matter how much I objected to it.—Someville Journal.

Soldiers of Abyssinia.

Lieut. Hussey, who was a member of the recent American commission to Abyssinia, writes: "As we approached Adis Ababa we were met by about 3,000 Abyssinian soldiers, under the command of one of the leading generals, who had been sent out to escort our party to the 'Gushli' or palace. The Abyssinian troops formed in six irregular lines, four in advance and two as our rear guard. Most of the soldiers were on foot, but the chiefs had fine mounts, beautifully caparisoned. There was no uniformity of dress; regularity of movement or special position for carrying their arms, which were of all kinds and types. But their bright-colored clothes, generally of velvet, silk or satin, leopard and lion skin shoulder capes, fantastic headgears, some of which were a fringe of lion's mane, and richly decorated shields, with scores of green-orange-red flags flying, as they advanced toward the city, made a unique and striking spectacle."

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ALL SIZES.

A lawyer was questioning a witness about some chickens that had disappeared from the backyard of an old negro, who accused several of his neighbors of stealing them. The examination of one witness is reported by the Atlanta Journal as follows:

"Were the chickens in the yard?" "Yes, sir." "Did you see them in the yard?" "Yes, sir." "Were they in a coop?" "No, sir." "Were they at large?" "What?" "Were the chickens at large?" "Well, sir, some of 'em was large, but most of 'em was in 'fence—Ex.

A Judicious Inquiry.

A well known traveling man who visits the drug trade says he often hears druggists inquire of customers who asked for a cough medicine, whether it would cure a child or a dog, and if for a child they almost invariably recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The reason for this is that they know there is no danger from it and that it always cures. There is not the least danger in giving it, and for coughs, colds and croup it is unsurpassed. For sale by Timmons Bros. and Crosson Drug Co.

Did you ever think what you would do if you had the Duke of Westminster's income? Village Pastor—No, but I have sometimes wondered what the duke would do if he had mine.—London Baptist.

THE CHRISTIAN.

Churches at Constantinople, Turkey, and Yokohama, Japan, have long used the Longman & Martinez Paint for painting their churches.

Liberal contributions of L. & M. Paint will be given for such purpose wherever a church is located. F. M. Seefeldt, Harris Springs, S. C., writes: "I painted our old homestead with L. & M. twenty-six years ago. Not painted since; looks better than houses painted in the last four years." W. B. Barr, Charleston, W. Va., writes: "Painted Frankenburg, Black with L. & M. shows better than any buildings here have ever done; stands out as though varnished, and actual cost of paint was less than \$1.20 per gal. These Celebrated Paints are sold by J. J. Rawl.

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